STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

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This resolution discusses testing. It lists three different types of tests with reasons for testing; and, who is mainly responsible to conduct each type of test and the purpose of each test. The resolution also directs the Idaho State Department of Education to find an alternative to the Smarter Balance Assessment Consortium (SBAC) because of its length and cost. The Idaho State Department of Education will report to the legislature in 2016 concerning the feasibility of using a replacement accompanied by decision points and costs.

FISCAL NOTE

There may be a minimal cost not to exceed \$20,000 for research and personnel cost.



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